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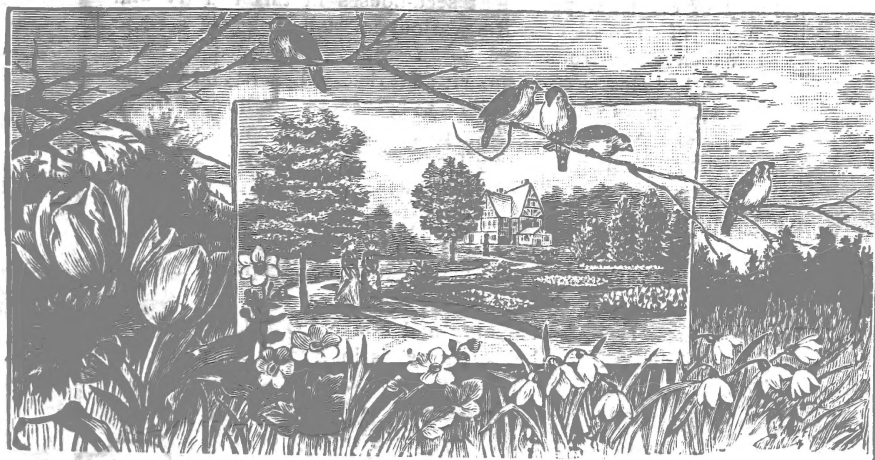
DESCRIPTIVE CATALOGUE

....OF....

Flowering Bulbs, Etc.

....FOR....

Autumn, Winter, and Spring.



**SCHLEGEL & FOTTLER,
SEEDSMEN,**

26 SOUTH MARKET STREET, - - - BOSTON, MASS.

Wholesale and Retail.

To Our Customers:

GREETING

In presenting our Autumn Catalogue for 1896, we wish to thank our many friends and customers for their kind recommendations and patronage. Our efforts to please and satisfy those who have dealt with us appear to be well recognized--a fact that brings us much pleasure.

Although we have always chosen to follow a rather conservative course, our record shows constant and steady progress; this encourages us to continue the straightforward, systematic policy in our business affairs that we have from the first adhered to.

Our business success has been largely due to the **superior quality** of the stocks we sell; **we deal in no second grade of anything**. As an illustration of these facts we will state that many of the most prominent seed-houses in this country and Europe often send to us for various special strains of seed to grow their stock from. We do an extensive business with two very critical classes of customers: Market-gardeners and regular Florists. Seeds which satisfy these branches of trade are certainly safe for the general public to use. Our Seed-rooms (the largest in the city) enable us to carry large stocks of seeds, and we are constantly improving our business facilities.

POSTAGE

Is paid by us to all points in the United States on all **Bulbs** at single and dozen prices quoted in this catalogue, except where noted.

OUR BULBS

Are of the very highest quality and at the **LOWEST PRICES**. Imported direct from the best growers in England, France and Holland. No better are sold in this country.

REMITTANCES

May be made at our risk by draft, money order, American Express Co.'s money order, cash by express or registered letter. Postage stamps may be sent for small amounts.

ADDRESS, ETC.

Purchasers will please be particular in **plainly** signing their **Name, Post-Office, County and State**, and mention mode of conveyance, whether by **Mail, Express or Freight**.

Our Catalogue of Seeds for the coming year will be mailed to all regular customers as soon as issued, to all others upon application.

HYACINTHS.



CULTURE IN POTS.—Bulbs should be procured as early as possible and potted singly in five-inch pots. A good compost is fibry loam, leaf mould, rotted manure and sand; equal parts. Fill the pots lightly and press the bulbs firmly into the soil, and give a good watering; they should then be placed in a cold frame or cold cellar, with a temperature of 40 or 45 degrees, and covered with about five inches of clean sand, this prevents the bulbs from rising while the roots are growing and keeps them quite moist. In six to eight weeks they may be taken to the room in which they are to flower, temperature about 65 degrees, given full light and plenty of water.

CULTURE IN GLASSES.—The single varieties are better adapted for glass culture than the double, and the best-named sorts should be selected. Soft water should be used in filling the glasses, a little charcoal put in, and the bottom of the bulbs allowed to just come in contact with the water. They should then be put in a dark, cold place till the roots are four or five inches long, a little additional water occasionally as it evaporates, and then brought into light and warmth as directed for culture in pots.

GARDEN CULTURE.—The bulbs should be planted in October, six inches apart and four inches deep, in a light, rich soil and in a sunny position; if the bed has been occupied by plants during the summer, it should be well dug and enriched with well-rotted manure. *Before the ground freezes* cover about six inches deep with straw, leaves or other litter, and gradually remove upon the approach

of warm weather in spring. The bulbs may be left in the bed to ripen, or as the beds are frequently wanted for plants before the bulbs have ripened, they may be carefully lifted and placed in some other part of the garden and covered with an inch or two of earth, leaving the leaves exposed till they become yellow, when the bulbs may be dried off and put away for another season, but they usually deteriorate and are not as good as newly imported bulbs.

SUPERIOR UNNAMED HYACINTHS.

These are made up of varieties selected for beds and borders, or for forcing for cut flowers, and are of such superior quality as to be entirely satisfactory to florists who use large quantities of them.

SINGLE VARIETIES.

	Each.	Doz.	Hund.
Red	\$.05	\$.50	\$3.50
Rose . . . . .	.05	.50	3.50
Pure White . . . . .	.05	.50	3.50
Dark Blue . . . . .	.05	.50	3.50
Light Blue . . . . .	.05	.50	3.50
Yellow . . . . .	.05	.50	3.50
Mixed, all the above colors . . . . .	.05	.50	3.50

Add 15 cts. per doz. to the above if wanted sent by mail.

DOUBLE VARIETIES.

	Each.	Doz.	Hund.
Red	\$.05	\$.50	\$3.50
Rose . . . . .	.05	.50	3.50
Pure White . . . . .	.05	.50	3.50
Dark Blue . . . . .	.05	.50	3.50
Light Blue . . . . .	.05	.50	3.50
Yellow . . . . .	.10	.75	6.00
Mixed, all the above colors . . . . .	.05	.50	3.50

NAMED FORCING AND BEDDING HYACINTHS.

Large, firm bulbs specially selected for planting in beds or forcing in pans, giving large, full spikes of bloom in the following colors: **Bright Red, Rose, Pink, Dark Blue, Light Blue, Porcelain, Pure White, Blush White,** 6 cents each, 60 cents a dozen, \$4.50 a hundred; 20 cents per dozen extra by mail.

Large selected bulbs of best varieties for house Culture in earth or water.

SINGLE BLUE AND PURPLE.

	Each.
Charles Dickens , blue, tinged with lilac . . .	\$.10
Czar Peter , porcelain-blue, extra. . . . .	.15
King of Blues , rich dark blue, large truss . .	.20
L'Ami de Coeur , fine lilac . . . . .	.10
Pieneman , extra fine, light porcelain . . .	.15
Sir John Lawrence , fine, bright blue . . .	.15
Uncle Tom , blackish-purple, fine . . . . .	.10

DOUBLE BLUE AND PURPLE.

Bloksberg , bright porcelain, large truss	. . .	.10
Crown Prince tinged violet, extra	. . .	.10
Envoye , pale blue, tinged indigo, fine	. . .	.15
Garrick , lilac-blue, large spike	. . .	.10
Gen'l Anthink , deep violet, extra	. . .	.15
Lord Wellington , lilac, dark centre	. . .	.10

SINGLE YELLOW.

Adonia , rosy-yellow . . . . .	.15
Herman , orange-yellow, extra fine . . . . .	.10
Ida , the best yellow, extra . . . . .	.20
La Pluie d'Or , pale yellow . . . . .	.10
L'Or d'Australie , golden-yellow, fine . . . . .	.20
Obelisque , splendid pure yellow . . . . .	.25

DOUBLE YELLOW.

Bouquet d'Orange , orange-salmon . . . . .	.15
Goethe , sulphur-yellow, splendid . . . . .	.15
Jaune Supreme , pure rich yellow, early . . . . .	.20
Ophir d'Or , fine yellow, dark center . . . . .	.15
William III , fine apricot color, pink centre . . . . .	.15

For the convenience of our customers we have put up the following collections, and from our own experience we can highly recommend them as most worthy of cultivation.

Add 20c. to each dozen if wanted sent by mail.

An extremely pretty group of flowers, perfectly hardy, and produce each spring a mass of lovely bloom.

Blue	10c. per doz., 75c. per hundred.	White	15c. per doz., \$1.25 per hundred
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A species of Hyacinth with flower stems three to four feet high, bearing from twenty to thirty large white flowers. Perfectly Hardy, large bulbs. 5 cts. each, 50 cts. per doz.; by mail, 75 cts. per doz.

Suitable for house or garden, producing fine spikes of flowers.

Red, White or Blue, separate. 5 cts. each; 40 cts. per doz.; by mail, 50 cts. per doz.



Single Tulips.

EARLY ROMAN HYACINTHS.

Extensively used for forcing and house culture; if planted early they may be had in bloom before the holidays, and by successive planting and keeping in a cool place, they may be had throughout the winter, each bulb throwing three or four spikes of delightfully fragrant flowers.

	Each.	Doz.	Hund.
Pure White , large strong bulbs	\$.05	\$.50	\$3.00
Blue , not so free flowering as the white . . . .	.05	.40	2.50
Light Pink , fine delicate color . . . .	.05	.40	2.50

Add 10 cts. per dozen if wanted sent by mail.

TULIPS.

The most familiar and beautiful of hardy bulbous plants, hundreds of varieties, with brilliant, delicate and varied colors, are now raised, and offered at a price that places them within the reach of every lover of early spring flowers. They are perfectly hardy, and in any good garden soil never fail to give the greatest satisfaction, though a moderately rich soil with good drainage is undoubtedly best suited for them. Plant in October or November, four inches deep and four to six inches apart.

To be covered and ripened as recommended for Hyacinths.

Tulips are also indispensable for house culture in pots or pans. A supply should be procured early and a portion of them potted and kept in a cool place till the roots are formed, when they may be brought into gentle heat to flower; successive plantings at intervals of two or three weeks should be similarly treated.

NAMED SINGLE EARLY TULIPS.

Large selected bulbs of best sorts for planting out, or growing inside, giving excellent results with ordinary care. 25 sold at 100 rates.

	Doz.	Hund.
Artus , fine scarlet	\$.15	\$1.00
Belle Alliance (Waterloo), brilliant scarlet, .25	1.75	
Bizard Pronkert , red and yellow . . . .	.20	1.50
Bizard Verdict , carmine, gold stripe . . . .	.20	1.25
Brutus , crimson, orange bordered . . . .	.20	1.50
Chrysolora , large, pure yellow . . . .	.25	1.75
Cottage M id , rosy-pink, feathered with white . . . .	.30	2.00
Crimson King , bright crimson-scarlet . . . .	.15	1.00
Couleur de Cardinal , cardinal red . . . .	.20	1.50
Couleur Ponceau , cherry, white ground, .15	1.00	
Duc d'Orange , orange-red and yellow . . . .	.20	1.50
Duchess of Parma , red, orange border . . . .	.20	1.50
Jagt Van Delft , fine white . . . .	.20	1.50
Keizers Kroon , scarlet, yellow edge . . . .	.20	1.50
Lac Von Rhijn , violet, white border . . . .	.20	1.50
L'Imaculee , pure white . . . .	.20	1.50
Ma Plus Aimable , red and gold . . . .	.20	1.50

	Doz.	Hund.
Proserpine , rich carmine-rose, extra	\$.35	\$2.75
Pottebakker White , { three of the } .25	2.00	
“ Scarlet , { finest Tulips } .20	1.50	
“ Yellow , { grown. } .25	2.00	
Prince of Austria , orange-scarlet . . . .	.35	2.75
Purple Crown , purplish-crimson . . . .	.20	1.50
Queen Victoria , white, rose tint . . . .	.15	1.00
Rose Gris-de-Lin , fine soft rose, extra, .25	2.00	
Rosa Mundi , bright rose, white ground, .20	1.50	
Rachael Ruisch , brilliant rose, extra . . . .	.25	2.00
Silver Standard , red and white striped, .20	1.50	
Standard , scarlet and gold striped . . . .	.25	1.75
Thos. Moore , orange . . . .	.25	2.00
Van der Neer , purple-violet . . . .	.20	1.50
Vermilion Brilliant , dazzling vermilion .35	2.50	
Van Vondel , cherry-red, white feathered .20	1.60	
Wapen Van Leyden , feathered rose . . . .	.20	1.50
Yellow Prince , bright yellow . . . .	.25	1.75

SINGLE MIXED TULIPS.

	Doz.	Hund.
Selected Mixture. For variety of color, size and brilliancy, this mixture is unsurpassed	\$.25	\$1.75
Superfine Mixture. These are specially mixed for us abroad, and contain a very great variety . . . .	.15	1.00

SINGLE EARLY TULIPS IN SEPARATE COLORS.

For Beds, Borders, and Massing

Large, selected bulbs of the best varieties, growing about the same height and blooming about the same time.

	Hund.		Hund.		Hund.
Crimson	\$1.25	White	\$1.50	Yellow	\$1.75
Rose	2.00	Scarlet , brilliant	1.25	Scarlet and Yellow	1.50



Double Tulips.

DOUBLE NAMED TULIPS.

These are very effective in beds, borders or clumps, the flowers are large and of brilliant colors, shades and markings.

	Doz.	Hund.
Duke of York , deep red, white edge	\$.20	\$1.25
Gloria Solis , red, bordered with gold . . . . .	.20	1.50
La Candeur , pure white, fine . . . . .	.20	1.25
La Citadelle , purplish red, with yellow edge . . . . .	.25	1.75
Le Blason , rosy blush . . . . .	.25	1.75
Murillo , superb, rose-white . . . . .	.25	2.00
Pæony Red , brilliant color . . . . .	.20	1.25
Purple Crown , purplish-crimson . . . . .	.25	1.50
Queen Victoria , cherry red . . . . .	.30	2.00
Rose Crown , carmine . . . . .	.30	2.00
Rex Rubrorum , fine scarlet . . . . .	.25	2.00
Rosine , rosy red . . . . .	.25	2.00
Turban Violet , fine violet . . . . .	.30	2.25
Tournesol , red and yellow . . . . .	.25	2.00
“ yellow . . . . .	.40	3.25
Velvet Gem , large, dark carmine . . . . .	.25	1.25
Yellow Rose , dark yellow, late . . . . .	.20	1.25

DOUBLE MIXED TULIPS.

	Doz.	Hund.
Selected Mixture , made up from the best named varieties	\$.25	\$1.75
Superfine Mixture . A special mixture of great variety and color . . . . .	.15	1.00

SINGLE EARLY DWARF DUC VAN THOLL TULIPS.

These are the earliest of all the Tulips; and being more dwarf than the other varieties, are better suited for forcing than bedding out.

Crimson , doz. 15 cts.	Red, Yellow Bordered , doz. 15 cts.	White , doz. 25 cts.
Gold Striped , doz. 15 cts.	Scarlet , doz. 15 cts.	Yellow , doz. 25 cts.
Rose , doz. 20 c's.	Vermilion , doz. 15 cts.	

PARROT TULIPS.

These are remarkable for their large size, brilliant colors and singular habit of growth; the edges of the petals being ragged and fringed. The flowers are single, and they bloom between the early and late sorts.

	Doz.	Hund.
All Colors Mixed , finest varieties	\$.15	\$1.00
Deep Red, Yellow, Yellow Striped with Red . Separate . . . . .	.20	1.50

SINGLE LATE TULIPS.

These are the renowned show Tulips of England and Holland, growing taller and blooming later than other varieties; the demand for these varieties is rapidly increasing, as they are at their best about Memorial Day, and are extensively used for decorating.

	Doz.	Hund.
Bizarres , yellow ground color, striped and variegated with several colors	\$.20	\$1.25
Bybloemen , white ground color, flaked and striped with several colors . . . . .	.20	1.25
Gesneriana , dazzling scarlet with a blue-black centre, fine . . . . .	.20	1.25
Roses , white ground, flaked and striped with rose, pink, etc. . . . .	.20	1.25
Yellow Crown , deep yellow with red edge . . . . .	.20	1.25

DARWIN TULIPS.

A new race of late-flowering, self-colored tulips with flowers of elegant form and most beautiful shades, borne on long, stout stems. They have created a sensation at several exhibitions in Europe.

	Doz.	Hund.
Finest Mixed Colors	\$.25	\$2.00

VARIOUS TULIPS.

	Each.	Doz.
Cornuta (Chinese Parrot), red and yellow flamed	\$.08	\$.75
Florentina , yellow, tall and sweet scented . . . . .	.05	.50
Greigi , light orange-red, blotched foliage . . . . .	.15	1.50
Oculis Solis (Cotton Tulip, or Sun's Eye), Crimson . . . . .	.08	.75



The numerous varieties of Narcissus are very beautiful, and are among the most popular of our flowering bulbs for both garden and house culture; the double and single varieties, being perfectly hardy, are better suited for general out-door planting, and after once planted they may remain undisturbed for several years, but in time they will become so thick and matted together that re-setting will be necessary. The Polyanthus varieties may be planted out if a good covering of leaves or litter is given them to exclude the frost, when they will make an excellent show in the spring, and well repay for any extra trouble. All the varieties are excellent for growing in the house, and with similar soil and treatment to that recommended for Hyacinths, very satisfactory results are sure to be obtained.

DOUBLE NARCISSUS.

Add 10 cents per doz. to all Narcissus if wanted by mail.

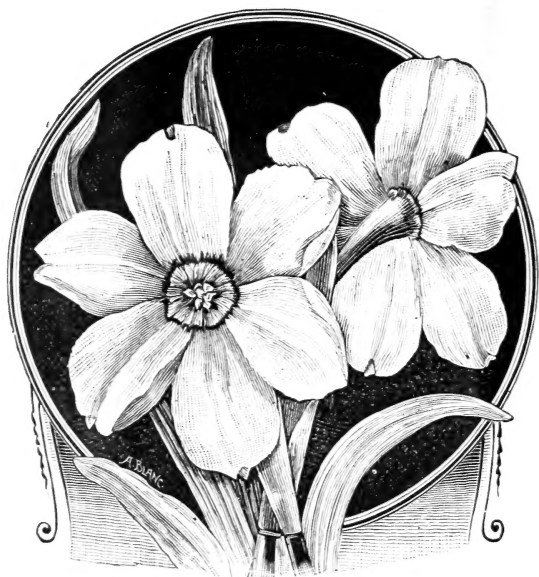
- Alba Plena Odorata**, "Gardenia flowered" or "Double White Poets' Narcissus," pure white and very fragrant, 20 cts. per doz.; \$1.00 per hund.
Incomparabilis Plenus, "Butter and Eggs," large double yellow, with orange centre, 20 cts. per doz.
Orange Phoenix, "Eggs and Bacon," large double white with orange centre, 5 cts. each; 40 cts. per doz.
Silver Phoenix, "Codlins and Cream," immense, double, creamy-white flowers, 15 cts. each; \$1.75 per doz.
Von Sion, "The Old Double Daffodil," with rich golden-yellow flowers, 5 cts. each; 40 cts. per doz.; \$2.00 per hund.

TRUMPET NARCISSUS, OR TRUMPET DAFFODILS.

- Ard Righ**, or **Irish King**, immense size and very early, trumpet and petals rich yellow, 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.
Bicolor Empress, a magnificent large variety, with golden trumpet and white petals, 20 cts. each; \$2.25 per doz.
Bicolor Grandis, extra large yellow trumpet and white petals, 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.
Bicolor Horsfieldi, very large flowers of pure white, with rich, yellow trumpet, beautiful, 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.
Bicolor Michael Foster, fine and distinct, large yellow trumpet with sulphur petals, 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.
Cernuus, flowers white with lovely white drooping trumpets, one of the finest of the set, 20 cts. each; \$2.25 per doz.
Countess of Annesley, sulphury petals, and large, rich yellow trumpet, excellent, 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.
Emperor, one of the finest, large, rich yellow trumpet, and light yellow petals, 20 cts. each; \$2.00 per doz.
Giant Princeps, immense deep yellow trumpet, with lighter yellow petals, 30 cts. per doz.
Golden Spur, extra large, bold, rich yellow flowers, one of the finest, 8 cts. each; 75 cts. per doz.
Henry Irving, long, beautifully-frilled trumpet, the whole flower is rich golden yellow, 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.
Hume's White, quite distinct, trumpet yellow, petals long and creamy-white, 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.
Moschatus, large silvery-white trumpet, one of the best, 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.
Obvallaris, "Tenby Daffodil," one of the earliest, of a deep golden-yellow, 5 cts. each; 40 cts. per doz.
Rugilobus, a grand variety, a fac-simile of Emperor, but smaller and very early, 5 cts. each; 50 cts. per doz.
Saragossa Daffodil, a remarkable form from Spain, petals yellow, varying in shade, trumpet very large and expanded, very distinct, 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.
Telamonius, (Single Von Sion), fine, golden-yellow trumpet, 25 cts. per doz.; \$2.00 per hund.
Trumpet Major, flowers large and of uniform deep golden color, 25 cts. per doz.; \$2.00 per hund.
Trumpet Maximus, very large rich yellow flowers, one of the best old sorts, 8 cts. each; 75 cts. per doz.

MEDIUM TRUMPET AND CUPPED NARCISSUS.

Add 10 cts. per dozen to all Narcissus, if wanted by mail.



Cupped Narcissus.

Poeticus, "Poets' Narcissus," white with red-edged cup, very fragrant. 15 cts. per doz.; 75 c. s. per hund.

Poeticus Ornatus, the improved "Poeticus," of the same color, but larger and much earlier. 20 cts. per doz.; \$1.25 per hund.

William Wilkes, remarkably distinct, cup orange-yellow, petals white, broad and much imbricated. 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.

Barri Conspicuum, very large pale yellow, with a deeply stained crimson cup. 20 cts. each; \$2.00 per doz.

Biflora, white with yellow cup, two flowers on a stem. 3 cts. each; 20 cts. per doz.

Incomparabilis Cynosure, large primrose divisions, changing to white, trumpet stained bright orange. 3 cts. each; 35 cts. per doz.

Incomparabilis Albert Victor, sulphury white, with deep yellow cup, much expanded, fine. 6 cts. each; 70 cts. per doz.

Incomparabilis Sir Watkins, "The Giant Chalice Flower," immense flower, with golden-yellow trumpet and a rich primrose petal. 20 cts. each; \$2.00 per doz.

Incomparabilis Stella, white star-shaped flower, with light yellow trumpet, one of the most popular sorts for cut flowers. 3 cts. each; 20 cts. per doz.

Johnstoni (Queen of Spain), distinct in form from any other Narcissus, of a uniform rich cream color, and very early. 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.

Leedsi Amabilis, long lemon cup and silvery white petals, fine. 5 cts. each; 50 cts. per doz.

Leedsi Circe (Gloriosus), white petals, with canary-yellow cup, changing to white, very distinct. 5 cts. each; 40 cts. per doz.

POLYANTHUS NARCISSUS.

Totus Albus Grandiflorus or **New Large-Flowered Paper White**, the individual flowers and clusters of this new sort are much larger than the old variety, very early and pure white. 20 cts. per doz.; \$1.25 per hund.

Sorts in Mixture. 20 cts. per doz.; 1.50 per hund.

HOOP PETTICOAT NARCISSUS.

Bulbocodium, rich golden-yellow. 5 cts. each; 50 cts. per doz.

Bulbocodium Monophyllus, pure white, flowering at Christmas. 7 cts. each; 75 cts. per doz.

JONQUILS OR NARCISSUS JONQUILLA.

Perfectly hardy, and flower early in the spring; also very desirable for winter blooming. Very sweet scented.

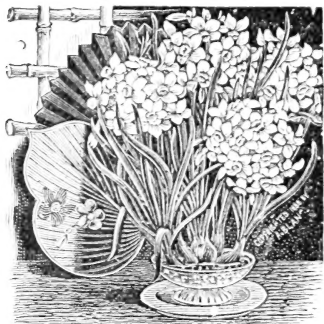
Double, fine deep yellow, very fragrant. 6 cts. each; 60 cts. per doz.; \$4.00 per hund.

Single, rich golden-yellow, in trusses, and sweetly scented. 25 cts. per doz.; \$1.25 per hund.

Campernelle, very large, rich yellow flower, fragrant. 25 cts. per doz.; \$1.25 per hund.

Odorus Rigolus, (Improved Campernelle) very sweet; .05 each; .40 doz.; \$2.00 hund.

Tenuior, (Silver Jonquil), Sweet Scented; .05 " .60 " 4.00 "



Chinese Narcissus.

CHINESE NARCISSUS OR SACRED LILY.

The Chinese Narcissus may be seen in its season at the house of every Chinaman who loves flowers. It is very easily grown and can be readily brought into bloom, when grown in water. Shallow dishes, about 3 inches deep, should be used, into which put about an inch of gravel; on this set the bulbs and fill in with small stones to keep them upright, and keep the dish full of water. It is not necessary to put the bulbs in the dark, but if kept shaded until the leaves begin to grow, better results may be obtained. The yellow and white flowers are freely produced. For a window ornament they are unexcelled, and the effect is heightened when several are grown in one dish.

The bulbs we offer are the large, true variety, direct from China.

Large bulbs, 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.; original baskets of 30 bulbs, \$2.00; selected bulbs, 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.

If desired by mail, add 6 cts. each for postage.

**Allium Neapolitanum.****ALLIUM.**

Hardy bulbous plants with showy flowers in large clusters, excellent for borders.

Azureum, deep sky blue, very handsome. 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.

Moly, golden-yellow. 3 cts. each, 20 cts. doz., \$1.25 per hund.

" **Album**, white. 3 cts. each, 20 cts. per doz., \$1.25 per hund.

Neapolitanum, specially adapted for winter blooming; pure white in large clusters. 3 cts. each, 20 cts. per doz., \$1.00 per hund.

ANOMATHECA CRUENTA.

These are fine for window gardens or pot culture; should be planted late in a light, sandy loam, and will commence to bloom in the spring and produce for several weeks rich carmine-crimson flowers. 5 cts. each; 40 cents per doz.

AMARYLLIS.

These are best suited for pot culture, and should be planted in a 6 or 7 inch pot according to the size of the bulb, and when established they should bloom every year; after blooming they make their growth, and should have occasional waterings with liquid manure till about September, when allow them to rest and give them very little water; a soil composed of loam, leaf mould and sand should be used, and good drainage given.

Belladonna Major, silvery-white flushed with rose, beautiful and fragrant. 20 cts. each; \$2.00 per doz.

Crispa, ("Strumaria") deep pink, producing several flowers. 20 cts. each; \$2.00 per doz.

Johnsoni, fine red, with white stripe through each petal. 50 cts. each.

Vallota Purpurea, "Scarborough Lily," rich bright scarlet flower in a cluster, blooming in summer and autumn; this is the variety so much seen growing in tubs on lawns, etc. 30 cts. each.

Vittata Hybrids, beautiful large flowered varieties with striped petals. 75 cts. each.

ANEMONE (Wind Flower.)

Very handsome spring and autumn flowering plants, with double and single flowers of bright and beautiful colors, they succeed best outside when protected by frames; a rich sandy loam with good drainage is necessary; roots should be planted three inches deep and 5 or 6 inches apart, and heavy damp soils avoided, as they are almost sure to decay, or the plants damp off soon after starting.

Anemones make splendid pot plants, if planted one in a 4 or 5 inch pot, kept in a cool place and water with held until they commence their growth, when they may be given more warmth and water enough to keep them moist, avoid excessive wettings.

Fulgens, rich dazzling scarlet, most brilliant and graceful. 5 cts. each; 35 cts. per doz.

Double Mixed, extremely handsome double-flowered varieties. 20 cts. per doz.; \$1.00 per hund.

Single Mixed, beautiful Poppy-like blossoms in great variety of colors. 15 cts. per doz.; \$1.00 per hund.

ANEMONE JAPONICA.

(Hardy Japanese Anemone.)

One of the most beautiful of garden flowers, giving a profusion of bloom from September to November, and even later if protected from frost; in well-drained, sheltered situations they are perfectly hardy, but in heavy or wet soils they are liable to winter kill.

Alba, "Honorine Jobert," large single, pure white, with yellow centre, growing 2 to 3 feet high and covered with bloom. 20 cts. each; \$2.00 per doz.

Rosea, like the preceding, with rosy-pink flowers. 20 cts. each; \$2.00 per doz.

Whirlwind, new double, white-flowered variety. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.

**Anemone.**

**Babianas.****ADONIS VERNALIS** (*Spring Adonis.*)

One of the brightest and earliest of spring-flowering perennials, very dwarf and compact, with finely cut foliage. Flowers large and clear yellow in May. 20 cts. each; 1.50 per doz. By mail, 25 cts. each.

BABIANAS.

Bulbous plants, with very rich-colored flowers growing 6 to 12 inches high, and successfully cultivated in pots. They should be planted in October, six bulbs in a 5 inch pot, using a rich, sandy loam, with good drainage, and kept only slightly moist, till the shoot appears above ground, when water may be carefully given, and increased as they grow. Give liquid manure when the flower spike appears. 5 cts. each; 40 cts. per doz.

BULBOCODIUM VERNUM.

One of the earliest spring flowers, producing masses of rosy-purple colored blossoms; and in connection with the Crocus, very beautiful for borders and edgings. 20 cts. per doz.; \$1.25 per hund.

COLCHICUM.

Autumn flowering bulbs, which produce their leaves in the spring and a beautiful cluster of Crocus-like flowers in the fall, perfectly hardy and do well in almost any soil or situation. May be left several years without disturbing.

Autumnalis, rosy purple. 5 cts. each; 50 cts. per doz. | **Autumnalis Alba**, White. 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.

Autumnalis Plenum, double purple. 5 cts. each; 50 cts. per doz. | **Autumnalis Mixed**. 5 cts. each; 50 cts. per doz.

CALLA LILIES (*Richardia*).

An old favorite, and too well known to need any description, the only requisite for successful culture are rich soil and plenty of water when growing. By allowing them to rest through the summer an abundance of bloom may be had the following winter.

White Calla, or Lily of the Nile. 15 cts. each; \$1.25 per doz. | **Spotted Leaf Calla.** 15 cts. each; \$1.40 per doz.

Little Gem, the superiority of this over all other sorts is its dwarf habit and abundance of bloom, the plants rarely grow over eighteen inches high and the numerous flowers, about half the size of the common calla, are useful in all floral work. 25 cts. each.

Black Calla (*Arum Sanctum*). A magnificent variety from the Holy Land; the leaves are large and of rich green color, veined light green, and resemble exactly those of the White Calla. Sweet scented. 15 cts. each.

CHIONODOXA.

One of the most effective of spring flowers for edgings and masses, the brilliant color catches the eye at a long distance, and they bloom early with the Snowdrops; if grown in pots and treated like Hyacinths they make a fine show in the house.

Sardensis, intense, deep, true blue color. 25 cts. per doz.; \$1.75 per hund.

Gigantea, very large and of a soft grey-blue with a white centre. 25 cts. per doz.; \$2.00 per hund.

Lucillæ, sky blue with white centre. 20 cts. per doz.; \$1.50 per hund.

CALOCHORTUS.

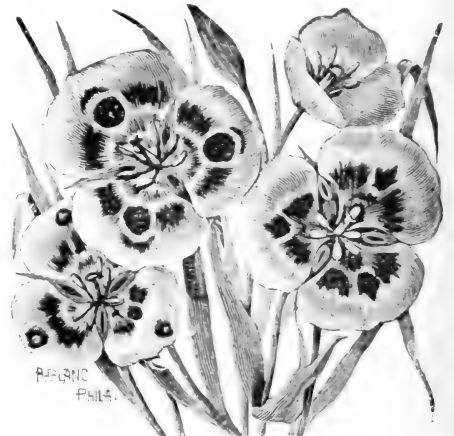
These are the **Butterfly Tulips** and **Mariposa Lilies** of California. The flowers are of good size and the richest and most brilliant colors, and produced on stalks from 1 foot to 1½ feet high, highly recommended for winter flowering or for growing in frames. Plant in compost of loam, leaf mould and sand in the autumn, and avoid excessive moisture. Warm, sunny situations and good drainage are necessary.

Finest Varieties Mixed. 5 cts. each; 30 cts. per doz.

CYCLAMEN PERSICUM GIGANTEUM,

One of the most ornamental and best adapted plants for winter blooming, grows readily and flowers freely for a long period, the foliage being handsomely mottled, is highly ornamental. The bulbs should be planted in a compost of loam, leaf mould and sand, and about half covered, leaving the crown or top of the bulbs clear, then with plenty of light, air, and temperature of about sixty degrees they may be grown to perfection; good drainage is essential. During the summer they may be allowed to rest, giving very little water.

Giant Varieties, white, rose and dark red. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.

**Calochortus.**

GROCUS.

One of our earliest spring flowers, blooming with the first warm days, and though the individual flowers do not last long, there is a succession of bloom which extends over quite a period. The margins of flower beds and borders along the walks are made very attractive by two or three rows of differently colored Crocus, as they will grow and flower freely in almost any soil or situation, where there is good drainage. The bulbs should be set two or three inches apart and three inches deep, and left undisturbed four or five years. If grown in a cool room, Crocus are very successful in the house.

These are large, selected bulbs, and give quantities of large bloom; the smaller, cheap bulbs we do not handle, as they fail to give satisfaction.



Crown Imperial.

	Doz.	Hund.
Albion , violet striped, very fine . . .	\$.15	\$1.00
David Rizzio , large dark blue . . .	.15	1.00
Grand Vedette , light blue . . .	.15	1.00
La Majesteuse , splendid striped . . .	.15	1.00
Lilacea , fine light blue . . .	.15	1.00
Mammoth , large white . . .	.15	1.00
Mont Blanc , largest, pure white . . .	.15	1.00
Madame Mina , violet and white feathered, .15		1.00
Purpurea Grandiflora , purple . . .	.15	1.00
Sir John Bright , light purple . . .	.15	1.00
Sir John Franklin , dark purple . . .	.15	1.00
Sir Walter Scott , best large variegated, .15		1.00
Yellow Mammoth , finest yellow . . .	.15	1.00
Mixture of Above Named Sorts . . .	.15	1.00



Crocus.

CROWN IMPERIALS.

Hardy, strong growing bulbs, best suited for the open border, the flowers varying in color from yellow to crimson, are produced in pendant clusters at the top of a stem, and surrounded by a tuft of leaves; bulbs should be planted six inches deep and one to two feet apart, a dressing of manure given after the growth starts in spring.

	Each.	Each.
Single Red , large and fine . . .	\$.15	Orange Brilliant , fine orange . . . \$.25
" Yellow , fine color . . .	.25	Mixed Varieties10

DAY LILIES.

This is one of the most useful families we have for the decoration of the flower border, thoroughly hardy, true perennial, and will succeed in almost any soil or situation; they form handsome tufts of leaves, and clusters of lily-like flowers of great substance, deliciously scented and exceedingly useful for cutting.

Funkia Grandiflora, large pure white flowers, and broad light green foliage. 25 cts. each.

Funkia Variegated, lilac flowers and handsomely variegated green and white foliage. 25 cts. each.

Hemerocallis Flava, golden yellow, fine for cutting. 25c. ea.

Hemerocallis Middendorffiana, distinct species 1 foot high with dark orange yellow flowers. 35 cts. each; by mail 8 cts. extra, each.

DICENTRA, OR DIELYTRA.

Spectabilis. Bleeding heart. 4 feet. May. A well-known very desirable form of tall growth, and with very showy rosy-crimson and white peculiar shaped flowers. Fine for borders and margins of shrubberies. 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.: by mail, 25 cts. each.

FRITILLARIA.

Meleagris Mixed, (*Guinea Hen Flower*), beautiful spring-flowering plants with bell-shaped flowers of various colors; if planted in a rich soil and dry locality, they can remain undisturbed for years. 3 cts. each; 30 cts. per doz.



Little Gem Calla. (See opp. page.)

FREESIA.

One of the most popular bulbs for winter flowers. They are very handsome, peculiarly graceful and possessed of a sweet, delicate perfume, and are valuable for cut flowers. They should be potted (several in a good sized pot) in light loam, manure and plenty of sand, in a position with plenty of light. The foliage will come up very straggling at first, but will strengthen. When the flower-spike begins to show, water with liquid manure, very weak. At this period they may receive warmth, not bottom heat.

Refracta Alba Odorata, pure white, with yellow blotches on lower petal, extra large bulbs, 3 cts. each; 25 cts. per doz.; \$1.50 per hund.

Leichtlini Major, a much improved variety, with large yellow flowers, 3 cts. each; 25 cts. per doz.; \$1.50 per hund.

GLOXINIA.

Magnificent for house culture, producing in great profusion beautiful flowers of the richest and most beautiful colors. They succeed best in sandy loam and peat, and require a moist heat. After blooming, dry off gradually, let the bulb remain in the pot without water, and keep in a warm place until they show signs of starting again.

Mixed Varieties, splendid sorts, 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.



Freesia.

IRIS (*Fleur-de-Lis*.)

The Iris is a very extensive and beautiful family for beds, borders and pot culture. They are very hardy spring-blooming plants, very free flowering, with large, handsome, rich and varied-colored flowers; of easy culture, thriving in any good garden soil. Plant three inches deep from September to December.

	Each.	Doz.
English , finest mixed, large and handsome flowers	\$.03	\$ 25
Germanica , (German) finest mixed, all shades and colors . . . . .	.15	1.50
Hispanica , (Spanish) finest mixed, handsome and fragrant flowers . . . . .	.03	.15
Athalia , large, pure white, beautiful . . . . .	.05	.50
Yellow Shades , fine for forcing . . . . .	.05	.50
Racine , light blue . . . . .	.05	.50
Pavonia , (Peacock) white, with blue dots . . . . .	.05	.50
Susiana , (Mourning Bride) large greyish-blue, netted and spotted with black . . . . .	.15	1.75

IRIS KAEMPFERI (*Japan Iris*.)

One of the most astonishing tribes of plants ever seen, both in its robust, free-blooming habit and in the superb loveliness of its immense flowers. These differ from the other Irises in having the blossoms broad and flat, like a Clematis, growing best in moist, rich soils.

	Each.	Doz.
Double Named Varieties	\$.30	\$3.50
Single Named Varieties . . . . .	.25	2.25
Mixed Varieties . . . . .	.15	1.50

If desired by mail, add 5 cts. to each root.

IXIAS.

These are among the most graceful and beautiful winter-flowering bulbs; the colors are rich and varied, the centre differing in color from other parts of the flower. Plant several bulbs in a pot and set in a cool place, water sparingly until some growth is made, then remove to warmer quarters to bloom.

Crateroides, brilliant scarlet, grand for cutting, 3 cts. each; 25 cts. per doz.

Mixed Varieties, 3 cts. each; 15 cts. per doz.

LEUCOJUM (*Snowflake*.)

Hardy bulbs, growing 12 to 18 inches high, with spikes of pretty white flowers resembling the Snowdrop, but blooming later in the season; common garden soil.

Vernum, Spring Snowflake, 5 cts. each; 50 cts. per doz.

JONQUILS, see **NARCISSUS**.



Iris.

**Lachenalia.****LACHENALIAS.**

A family of Cape bulbs of easy culture in the house; they have beautiful pendant flowers and spotted foliage; pot early in sandy soil, and grow in a cool situation, at first giving them plenty of light and air, then remove to a warmer situation, and they will bloom through the winter.

Mixed Varieties 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.

LILY OF THE VALLEY.

One of the most charming of our spring-flowering plants, whose slender stems, set with tiny bells diffusing a delicious odor, have rendered it a universal favorite. Also largely used for forcing in winter for the cut flower trade. Deliverable after November 1. 25 cts. per doz.; \$1.50 per hund.; by mail \$1.75 per hund.

MONTBRETIA.

Beautiful hardy plants, with graceful gladiolus-like spikes of flowers in brilliant colors.

Pottsi, bright yellow and orange. 5 cts. each; 60 cts. per doz.

OXALIS.

Very beautiful winter and spring-flowering bulbs, particularly adapted to pot and window culture; plant 6 or 8 bulbs in a 6-inch pot, using a fine, sandy loam; they grow and bloom best in a rather cool, partly shaded situation.

Bowell, large, bright, rosy-red; potted in August or September they will bloom in November. 5 cts. each; 50 cts. per doz.

Buttercup, large, free-flowering sort of a bright buttercup yellow. 5 cts. each; 50 cents per doz.

Double Yellow, large double flowers . . . \$.10 each; \$1.00 doz

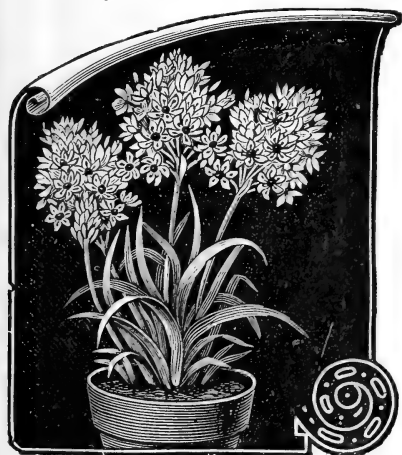
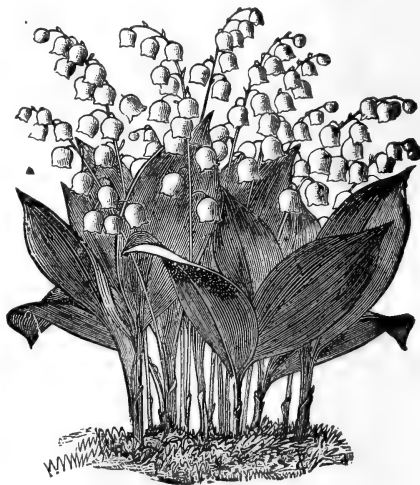
White, free bloomer05 " .50 "

ORNITHOGALUM (Star of Bethlehem.)

Arabicum, a handsome variety, with large heads of pure white, star-shaped flowers, having a black blotch in the centre and a distinct aromatic odor; being of the easiest culture, they are largely grown for window decorations. Individual flowers are as

large as a 25-ct. coin. 5 cts. each; 50 cts. per doz.

Umbellatum, large clusters of satiny-white, star-shaped flowers. 20 cts. per doz.

**Ornithogalum Arabicum.****Lily of the Valley.****PÆONIES.**

These have become indispensable in every garden. They are all hardy and admirably adapted to our northern climate, growing in almost all situations, and even flourishing under shade trees.

Named Varieties 50 cts. each; by mail, 60 cts.

Tenuifolia, Fl. Pl., foliage like a beautiful fern, and flowers the color and shape of the Jacquemint Rose 50 cts each

Moutan (Tree Pæony). This class of plants is known for its showy character; they grow well but are difficult and slow of propagation. and therefore can never be very common. They are very hardy and should flourish everywhere. Several of the finest named varieties,

By express \$1.00 to \$1.50 each

*Scilla Præcox.***PANCRATIUM.**

Amaryllis-like bulbs, with showy white flowers, suitable for house culture in pots, should be grown in light loam and leaf mould, and allowed a season to rest.

Maratimum, fragrant white flowers in large umbels. 20 cts. each; \$2.00 per doz.

Calithinum, (Ismene), white flowers, three inches long, expanding in succession, fragrant. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.

RANUNCULUS.

Handsome flowers of fine form, very brilliant and attractive colors; they require a little heavier soil and more moisture than Anemones, otherwise treated the same; they are very readily grown.

Giant French, large double flowers in great variety of colors. 3 cts. each, 25 cts. per doz.; \$1.25 per hund.

SCILLA.

Very early-flowering bulbs, doing well in ordinary soil, producing fine, graceful spikes of bell-shaped flowers; they are very showy and attractive as pot plants, and require about the same treatment as Hyacinths.

Nutans, long graceful spikes of white, blue and rose colored flowers, mixed or separate. 5 cts. each; 50 cts per doz.

Præcox or Siberica, spikes of intense blue flowers, very early, blooming outside with the Snowdrops and Crocus. 3 cts. each, 20 cts. per doz.; \$1.00 per hund.

SNOWDROPS.

The Snowdrop is the first of all flowers to herald the approach of spring. They flourish well in any soil, and bloom best if not transplanted oftener than once every three years. Being dwarf, they should be set near the edge of walks, where in connection with Scilla and Crocus they show to great advantage. They also flourish well in sand or moss, in pots or baskets; they should be planted two inches deep.

	Doz.	Hund.
Double-Flowering	\$.20	\$1.25
Single-Flowering . . . . .	.15	1.00
Giant-Flowering , flowers very large . . . . .	.20	1.50

SPARAXIS.

One of the most graceful and beautiful half-hardy bulbs, with large, handsome flowers of the brightest colors and shades, and are fine for growing in pots. They are closely allied to the Ixia, and require the same treatment.

Mixed Varieties. 3 cts. each; 20 cts. per doz.

SPIRÆA (*Astilbe.*)

Splendid plants for forcing in the greenhouse, or the conservatory, where they produce beautiful sprays of flowers during February and March; they are perfectly hardy, and when planted outside, flower in June. The dark green foliage resembles some of our well-known ferns.

Japonica, silvery white, large clumps. 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.

Japonica Compacta Multiflora (Grandiflora), a dwarf, very compact-growing variety, with very large silvery-white flowers, nearly twice the size of the preceding. 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.

Palmata, one of the most striking and effective varieties in cultivation, growing 1 to 2 feet high, with bright crimson flowers. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.

Ulmaria Folis Auris Variegatis, (Meadow Sweet.) With variegated foliage. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.; by mail, 10 cts. extra, each.

*Spiræa Palmata.***TRILLIUM** (*Wood Lily.*)

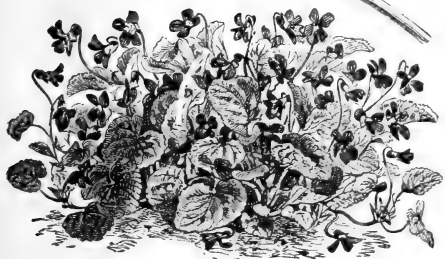
Grandiflorum, 9 inches. May. Large white flowers which are very handsome. Can be domesticated in any garden, and is worthy of culture everywhere. Each 15 cts.; \$1.00 per doz.

**Tritelia Uniflora.****TUBEROSE.**

The variety offered is the one most extensively grown, being much superior to all other sorts.

We offer large, strong roots, grown specially for our florist's trade. Ready in January.

Excelsior Pearl, a superior strain, with very large, white flowers, produced in great abundance, 40 cents per doz.; \$2.00 per hund.

**TRITELIA.**

This is a perfectly hardy little gem, doing equally well in the house or planted in the open border; it grows well in almost any soil, and each bulb will produce a number of star-shaped flowers with Primrose perfume; the blossoms are of good substance, and remain in bloom a long time; half a dozen bulbs in a 5 or 6-inch pot; when in flower are very attractive.

Uniflora, white with blue tint, 15 cts. per doz.

TRITONIA.

Free-blooming bulbs, well suited for pot culture. Plant in a light, rich loam, about four or five bulbs in a 6-inch pot; give a cool, airy situation, and an abundance of bloom will be the result.

Mixed Colors, 30 cts. per doz.

TROPÆOLUM.

Beautiful and graceful climbing plants for the conservatory or window garden, producing in the early spring months richly-colored flowers. They can be grown in pots and trained over trellises, or as a bracket plant in the window.

Tricolorum, scarlet and black, 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz

**Winter Aconite.****VALLOTA.**

Purpurea (*Scarborough Lily*), a valuable free summer and autumn bloomer, color, rich red. It does well planted in the open ground in May, and when in bud can be potted and removed for conservatory or window decoration. It is one of the few really good window plants; 30 cts. each; \$3.50 per doz.

WINTER ACONITE.

One of the earliest and most hardy of spring flowers, throwing up its pretty yellow flowers before the snow disappears, and continuing in flower several weeks; 20 cts. per doz.; \$1.50 per hund.

VIOLETS.

We offer strong plants specially grown for winter blooming.

Russian, single, large-flowered, deep purple and very fragrant, 20 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.

Marie Louise, the well-known, double, dark-blue variety, with delicious fragrance, 20 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.



Liliun Harri-ii (Bermuda Easter Lily).

LILIES.

Now that hardy plan's are being so much sought after, no class can lay so much claim to our attention as the Lilies. They are stately, elegant and beautiful, and possess the most agreeable perfume, while some are arrayed in the most gorgeous colors, others are of a snowy whiteness; and for general effect, whether growing in the garden or house, they have no rivals. October and November are the best months for planting outside; the soil should be deep, rich and mellow, *with good drainage*, as nothing will injure the bulbs more than water collecting and standing around them. Do not put manure about the bulbs when setting, as it collects moisture and insects, and often causes the bulb to decay. Top dressing is the better way to enrich the soil after the bulbs are set. The beds should be well covered with leaves and strawy manure to exclude the frost.

Set Bulbs 4 to 6 inches deep, according to their size.

Auratum, enormous flowers, pure white, studded with crimson spots, with a gold stripe through the centre of each petal; 2 to 4 ft.; "July to October." 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.

Batemannia, Japanese Lily, 3 to 4 feet high, flowers of a bright apricot tint; "July." 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.

Brownii, large trumpet-shaped flowers, pure white inside, purple tinted outside; 2 ft.; "June and July." \$1.00 each; \$10.00 per doz.

Canadense, our native bell-shaped Lily, flowers yellow, marked with red and dark spots; 2 ft.; "June and July." 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.

Canadense Rubrum, a variety of the above with rich dark-red flowers; 2 ft.; "June and July." 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.

Candidum, "Easter Lily," the well-known white garden Lily, with fragrant blossoms; 3 to 4 ft.; "June and July." 10 cts. each; 75 cts. per doz.

Chalcedonicum, "Scarlet Martagon," intense scarlet, recurved petals; 2 to 3 ft.; "June and July." 40 cts. each; \$4.00 per doz.

Columbianum, from Columbia River region, exquisite yellow flowers, with purple dots; 2 ft.; "July." 30 cts. each; \$3.00 per doz.

Concolor, brilliant crimson, with small dots; 1½ to 2 ft.; "June." 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.

Coridion, bright yellow with brown spots; 1½ to 2 ft.; "June." 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.

Elegans, mixed varieties; 1½ ft.; "July." 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.

Excelsum, delicate buff, of great beauty and delightful fragrance; 4 ft.; "June and July." 50 cts. each; \$5.00 per doz.

Harrisii, "The Bermuda Easter Lily," large trumpet-shaped flowers, 6 inches long, of purest white and delicious fragrance, one of the best for pot growing; 3 to 4 ft.; "July." 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.

Hansoni, flowers in clusters, the outside is yellow, streaked with white, and the inside bright yellow, spotted with purple; 3 ft.; "June." \$1.00 each.

Humboldti, a California variety, growing 4 to 5 ft. high: producing freely large, bright orange-red flowers, with purple spots; "June." 40 cts. each; \$4.00 per doz.

Lancifolium, see **Speciosum**.

Leichtlinii, a Japanese variety of fine habit, flowers of a clear canary-yellow with purplish-red spots; 4 to 5 ft.; "July." 60 cts. each; \$6.00 per doz.

Longiflorum, snow-white trumpet-shaped Lily, largely used for pot culture: 3 to 4 ft.: "June and July." 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.

LILIES.—Continued.

- Pardalinum**, brilliant crimson shading to yellow, spotted with brown; 3 to 4 ft.; "July." 40 cts. each; \$4.00 per doz.
- Parryii**, beautiful clear yellow flowers, 3 to 4 inches long, with a few purple spots; 2 ft.; "July." 50 cts. each; \$5.00 per doz.
- Pomp. nium Vernum**, this magnificent variety resembles a gigantic *Tenuifolium*, and has numerous large fiery-scarlet flowers; 4 ft.; "June." 35 cts. each; \$3.50 per doz.
- Pulchellum**, bright crimson upright flowers, lightly spotted with black; 1 ft. "June and July." 40 cts. each; \$4.00 per doz.
- Speciosum**, commonly known as "Japan Lilies," and are without doubt the most popular garden Lily, being of easy cultivation and producing large, beautiful, fragrant flowers on strong stems, growing 2 to 3 ft. high, and blooming in August; the varieties are:—
- Speciosum Album**, purest white. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.
- " **Præcox**, pure white with pink tinge at end of petals. 30 cts. each; \$3.00 per doz.
- " **Roseum**, white, shaded and spotted with rose. 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.
- " **Rubrum**, white, shaded and spotted with deep red. 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.
- Superbum**, brilliant, orange-red flowers, spotted, from 20 to 50 in number; 3 to 5 ft.; "July." 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.
- Tenuifolium**, "**Siberian Coral Lily**," brilliant vermilion-scarlet; 1 to 2 ft.; "May and June." 20 cts. each; \$2.00 per doz.
- Tigrinum**, "**Tiger Lily**," drooping orange-red flowers, spotted with black; 2 to 4 ft.; "August." 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.
- Tigrinum Flore Pleno**, "**Double Tiger Lily**," flowers perfectly double and borne in great abundance; 2 to 4 ft. "August." 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.
- Umbellatum Mixed**, large, well-opened flowers of brilliant colors; 2 ft.; "June." 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.
- Wallacei**, erect flowers of orange, spotted with black, well open and beautiful; 1 to 3 ft.; "August." 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.

INSECT EXTERMINATORS.

- Ant Exterminator.** Q. R. S. A most effectual preparation for the destruction of Ants in lawns and pleasure grounds. This article has been in the market the past three years, and we have not heard of an instance during that time when its use has not resulted satisfactorily. We guarantee it, and will willingly refund the money paid us for it in case of failure to exterminate or drive away ants. Directions for use on each package. We are sole New England agents for the sale of this article. Put up in three sizes, 25 cts., 50 cts., and \$1.00 each, postpaid.
- Fir-Tree Oil.** For destroying all insects and parasites that infest fruit-trees, plants and animals, whether on the foliage or at the roots: such as Mealy Bugs, American Blight, Red Spider, Scale, Thrip, Green and Black Fly, Woolly Aphis, Caterpillars, Grubs, Ants, Worms, Lice, Fleas, Etc. Fir-Tree Oil does not contain any poisonous properties, being perfectly harmless to the hands and skin when used. Small bottles, 25 cts.; half-pint, 50 cts.; pint, 75 cts.; quart, \$1.25; 2 quarts, \$2.25; 1 gal., \$4.00.
- Lemon Oil.** The cheapest, safest and most effectual Insecticide for all purposes. Destroys all insects on the foliage and roots of plants without injury to flowers or leaves. An excellent wash for dogs: it cures mange, kills all insects and gives the coat a fine glossy appearance. $\frac{1}{2}$ pint, 25 cts.; 1 pint, 50 cts.; 1 quart, 85 cts.; 2 quarts, \$1.50; 1 gal., \$2.50.
- Soap, Sulpho Tobacco, Rose Brand.** Wherever tried, this soap has given the greatest satisfaction; in fact, there is no insect that will not succumb to its power. It is therefore unnecessary to enumerate them, or to mention the flowers, shrubbery, berry bushes, vegetables, trees, etc., on which it may be used with great advantage. 2 oz. pkg. 10 cts., \$1.00 per doz.; $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. pkg., 25 cts.; \$2.50 per doz.
- Whale Oil Soap.** An effectual remedy for destroying and preventing insects on plants, trees, vines, etc., and for washing the bark of trees. 1 lb. pkg., 15 cts.; 2 lb., 25 cts.; 5 lb., 50 cts.; 10 lb., 90 cts.
- Hellebore, White-Powdered.** For the destruction of Rose Slugs and Currant Worms. Very effectual. $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. pkg., 15 cts.; 1 lb. pkg., 30 cts.
- Pers'an Insect Powder.** For destroying Roaches, Ants, Fleas, and all other noxious insects. $\frac{1}{2}$ lb., 25 cts.; 1 lb., 50 cts.
- Tobacco Extract, "Rose Leaf."** A concentrated extract of uniform strength, for use in greenhouses. It will not injure the plants if properly used, but will most effectually destroy Green Fly, Scale, Mealy Bug, and can be used by vaporizing or applying on the pipes with a brush. Diluted with water it can also be applied with a syringe. Pint, 30 cts.; quart, 50 cts.; gal., \$1.50; 2 gal., \$2.75; 5 gal., \$5.00.

FERTILIZERS.

COLORADO SHEEP MANURE.



This is a pure natural manure, and the most nutritious food for plants. Its effect is immediate, much more lasting and healthy than guano or any other manure. It is the best of all manures for mixing with the soil for greenhouse plants. It makes the richest, safest and quickest liquid manure, rivalling guano without any deleterious effects. For Flower or Vegetable Gardens, and as top dressing for Lawns, it is unequalled.

DIRECTIONS.—For mixing with soil, take one part manure to six parts soil. For making a liquid, take one pound manure to five gallons of water, which can be used with safety daily if necessary.

Price: Four-pound package, 25 cts.; ten-pound package, 50 cts. Original bags (about 100 lbs.), \$2.50.

Bowker's Lawn and Garden Dressing. A special fertilizer, prepared from chemicals. Free from weed seeds, odorless, and so clean that any member of the family can apply it. It is extensively used on the Boston and New York public parks and lawns.

Trial bags for 1,000 sq. ft.	\$.50	50-lb. bags for 5,000 sq. ft.	\$1.75
Trial bags for 2,500 sq. ft.	1.00	100-lb. bags for $\frac{1}{4}$ acre	3.00

Bowker's Fresh Ground Bone. We would call particular attention to this Bone, as it is obtained daily from Brighton Abattoir, and contains all the fertilizer properties of raw bone, being dried and ground within twelve hours after the cattle are slaughtered.

5 lbs., .25; 10 lbs., .40. 25 lbs., .75; 100-lb. bags, \$2.00; per ton, \$35.00.

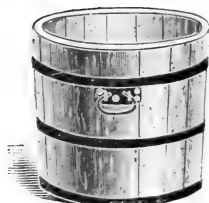
Bowker's Ammoniated Food for Flowers. A dressing made expressly for plants grown in the house, garden or conservatory; clean, odorless, and producing early and abundant blossoms of rich and brilliant color, and healthy, luxuriant plants, free from vermin. This Ammoniated Food was the *first* odorless chemical preparation made and sold in this country. It contains the same plant food as stable dressing, but in a cleaner and more soluble form. It is not a stimulant, but it is a true plant food, in form easily and quickly assimilated. Ladies and florists who have used this dressing speak not only of the growth and the early and abundant blossoms which it produces, but also of the deeper and richer or brighter and more beautiful color it imparts to them. It also prolongs the period of blooming. Directions for use with each package. Prices, No. 1, 15c.; No. 2, 25c. If ordered by mail add 6c. for No. 1, and 12c. for No. 2, for postage.

Unleached Hardwood Ashes. One of the best fertilizers for lawns; also excellent for all kinds of garden or farm crops. They possess the advantages of being clean and sweet, and entirely free from any disagreeable odor. They give to the grass a rich, dark shade of green, and will destroy many of the insects which are so injurious to grass roots and leaves.

Price, in barrels of about 250 lbs. per lb., .01; per ton, \$18.00.

PEAT, LEAF MOULD, ETC.

For Bulbs and Plants.



Rotted Fibrous Peat, $\frac{1}{2}$ peck, 20 cts.; peck, 30 cts.; bushel, \$1.00; barrel, \$2.00.

Leaf Mould, " " " " " " " " " " " "

Prepared Bulb Soil, specially prepared with *Peat, Leaf Mould, Loam, Sand,* and a sufficient quantity of *Fertilizer.* Price, half peck, 20 cts.; peck, 30 cts.; bushel, \$1.00; barrel, \$2.00.

Plant Tubs. Made of oak, in natural wood finish with three strong hoops and good handles. There is no tub on the market that equals this in finish and durability.

No. 1.	12 in. in diameter by 12 in. deep	\$1.50 each.
No. 2.	14 " " " " " " " " " " " "	2.00 "
No. 3.	16 " " " " " " " " " " " "	2.50 "

REQUISITES.



Flower Pots, Standard. Catalogue of Fancy Pots mailed on application. Measurement from inside to inside. Width and depth equal.

Inches.	Per Doz.	Per Hund.	Inches.	Per Doz.	Per Hund.
2	\$.12	\$.75	6	\$.72	\$ 4.50
2½	.16	.90	6½	.84	6.00
3	.20	1.15	7	.96	7.50
3½	.24	1.40	8	1.32	9.00
4	.30	2.00	9	1.68	13.50
4½	.36	2.50	10	2.40	17.50
5	.48	3.25	11	3.60	22.00
5½	.60	3.75	12	4.80	32.00

Saucers, Standard.

Inches.	Doz.	Hund.	Inches.	Doz.	Hund.
3½	\$.18	\$ 1.25	7	\$.54	\$ 3.25
4	.24	1.50	8	.60	4.25
4½	.28	1.75	9	.72	5.25
5	.30	2.00	10	.96	6.50
5½	.36	2.25	11	1.20	8.00
6	.42	2.50	12	15 cents each.	
6½	.48	3.00			

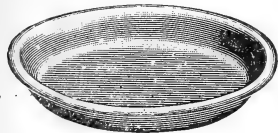
We make no charge for crates, packing or shipping Flower Pots, Bulb Pans, etc.

Bulb Pots.

Inches.	Per Doz.	Per Hund.
3½ x 6	\$.75	\$ 5.50
5 x 7	.95	6.50

Bulb or Seed Pans.

Round.		Square.	
Inches.	Each.	Inches.	Each.
6	\$.07	6 x 6	\$.20
8	.10	8 x 8	.25
10	.15	10 x 10	.30
12	.20	12 x 12	.40
14	.40		4.00



Fibrotta Saucers.

Flower Pot Saucers, Fibrotta. These are made of fibre, and are especially valuable for use when decorative plants are placed on tables, floors or carpets, as no moisture can penetrate them, thus preventing all injury by moisture or stain. 6 in., each, .08 cts.; per doz., .85 cts.; 8 in., each, .10 cts.; per doz., \$1.00, 10 in., each, .13 cts.; per doz., \$1.25; 12 in., each, .18 cts.; per doz., \$1.50.

Fumigators, Boston. For smoking greenhouses; self-acting, and may be left with perfect safety; all the material is consumed and gives off a dense smoke; made of extra heavy galvanized iron.

No. 1.	20 inches high, 13 inches diameter, holds ½ bush. stems	\$3.50
No. 2.	24 " " 14 " " " ¾ " "	4.00
No. 3.	28 " " 16 " " " 1 " "	4.50

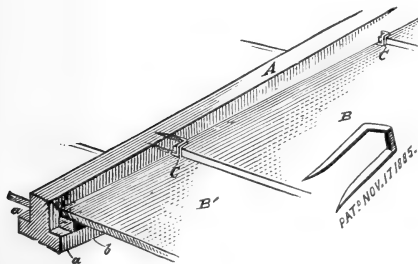
Fumigators, Eureka. Simple in construction, and not liable to get out of order.

No. 1. Height 12 inches; diameter at top, 5 inches. For a house 10 x 20 feet. Holds ½ peck of stems. \$1.25.

No. 2. Height, 16 inches; diameter at top, 7 inches. For a house 12 x 40 feet. Holds 1 peck of stems. \$2.00.

No. 3. Height, 20 inches; diameter at top, 9 inches. For a house 15 x 100 ft. Holds ½ bushel of stems. \$2.50.

No. 4. Height, 24 inches; diameter at top, 12 inches. For a house 20 x 100 feet. Holds ¾ bushel of stems. \$3.50.



Glaziers' Points, E. J. Van Reyper's. Will stop glass from sliding. The only durable and reliable points, made of steel wire and galvanized. No rights and lefts. Can be used on either side of the bar. Try our pincers for driving these points.

Price, per box of 1,000, .60; by mail, .75; Pincers, .40; by mail, .50.

Glazing Points, Francis' Improved Corrugated Hold Fast. Made of brass and having a hook near the end of point, it is firmly held in position when driven in the rafter. It can be used either right or left and is easily driven in, no special tool is required for it and it leaves a smooth finish to paint over. Per box of 1,000, .50; by mail, .63.

Hose Nozzles, Boston Rose Spray. For the Greenhouse, Flower Garden, Hotbed, Lawn, etc., it has no equal, as it does not injure the plants or tear up the ground. It allows the water to flow freely, and does not strain the hose. Having a flat face it throws the water straight ahead and does not spread it too much. It is made of brass, strongly put together, and will last a lifetime. Each, 65 cts.

Hose, Rubber. The hose we offer is of the best manufacture. We keep no second grade.

½-inch, 5-ply, superior quality; per foot, 12 cts, ¾-inch, 5-ply, superior quality; per foot, 14 cts.

Couplings. Twenty-five cents per set, furnished free on 50-foot pieces of hose.

Syringes, Brass, Garden and Greenhouse. We offer a variety of patterns applicable for horticultural purposes.

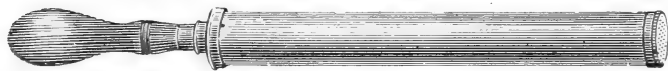
No. 0. 12½ inches long, 1⅝ inches diameter, with one spray rose. Each, \$2.25.

No. 00. 14 inches long, 1½ inches diameter, with one spray rose. Each, \$3.00.

No. 2. 13½ inches long, 1⅝ inches diameter, with one stream and two spray roses. (The two roses, when not in use, are screwed on the sides of the barrel). Each, \$4.75.

No. 3. 18 inches long, 1½ inches diameter; best plate valve springs; large size, with one stream and two spray roses. (Side pieces on barrel). Each, \$7.00.

No. 7. 18 inches long, 1½ inches diameter, one stream and two spray roses, with knuckle joint turning in all directions. Each, \$7.50.



No. H. 18 inches long, 1½ inches diameter strong, durable, cheap. Each, \$2.00.



No. G. 16 inches long, 1½ inches diameter, one spray and one stream rose; side attachment and fixed elbow joint. Each, \$4.50.

Hydro-sprayer, 15 inches long, 1¾ inches diameter; fitted with cyclone nozzle. Each, \$6.00.

Trellis, Veranda. This is by far the most ornamental and substantial trellis made, being especially adapted to out-door use for high climbing shrubs and vines. We have eight regular sizes, but can make to order any given dimensions. Regular sizes as follows:—

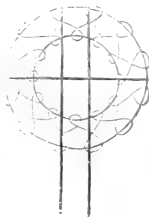
5 feet, 18 inches wide	Each, \$.70	9 feet, 20 inches wide	Each, \$1.25
6 " 18 " "	" .80	10 " 20 " "	" 1.50
7 " 18 " "	" .95	11 " 24 " "	" 1.75
8 " 18 " "	" 1.10	12 " 24 " "	" 2.00



Veranda.



Oval.



Round.

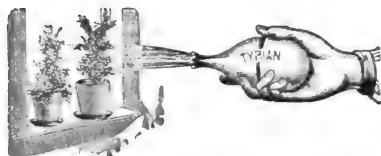
Trellis, Round, Ivy.

16 inches diameter	\$.42
20 " " "	" .60
24 " " "	" .75

Trellis, Oval.

No. 1. 30 in. long, 10 in. wide	\$.20
" 2. 30 " " 14 " "	" .30
" 3. 36 " " 12 " "	" .35
" 3½. 42 " " 14 " "	" .40

Scollay's Plant Sprinklers. Made of rubber, with flat bottom and a detachable brass top, finely perforated. Very useful in window gardening, sprinkling bouquets, dampening clothes, and other purposes where a fine spray is required. Each, \$1.00.



Scollay's Angle Sprinkler.

Each, \$1.00.

Insect Powder Bulb.

For distributing dry powders or liquids. Each, \$1.00.



Tyrian Plant Sprinkler. The bulb is made of soft rubber, the top of hard rubber with a detachable screw cap, and is extremely useful for all purposes to which a sprinkler is put. Three sizes—large, 75 cts. each; medium, 60 cts. each; small, 50 cts. each; with angle neck, large size, \$1.00 each; medium, 75 cts. each.

Watering Pots. Made extra strong of double thick tin, carefully braced and painted. Each, 4 qt., 75 cts.; 6 qt., 87 cts.; 8 qt., \$1.00; 10 qt., \$1.25; 12 qt., \$1.50.

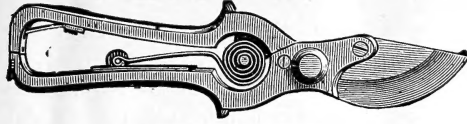
Watering Pots. With long spouts, for conservatory and house use. Each, 2 qt., 50 cts.; 4 qt., 65 cts.

Scissors, Flower. For cutting and holding flowers. 4-in., 75 cts.; 6-in., 90 cts.; 7-in., \$1.15.

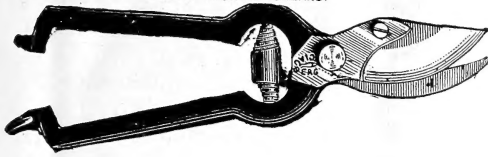
Scissors, Grape or Vine. For thinning the bunch. Nickel plated. 6 in., 85 cts.; 7-in., \$1.00.

Scissors, Pruning or Rose Pruners. Nickel plated, without spring. Each, 4-in., 75 cts.; 5-in., 85 cts.; 6-in., \$1.00.

Shears, Grass Border. Long handle, 9-in. blade, each, \$3.00; 10-in., \$3.50. Long handle, wheel, 9-in. blade, each, \$3.50; 10-in., \$4.00.



FRENCH PRUNING SHEARS.



GERMAN PRUNING SHEARS.

Shears, Hedge. Pruning notch, 8-in. blade, each, \$1.80; 9-in., \$2.15; 10 in., \$2.50.

Shears, French Pruning. With wheel spring. The best pruner ever offered, polished, each, 8-in., \$1.75; 9-in., \$2.25; 10-in., \$2.75.

Shears, German Pruning. With spiral steel spring. A very superior tool, finely polished, each \$1.75 and \$2.00.

Shears, Trenton Pruning. A fine steel tool, with spiral spring, unpolished, each, 9-in., 60 cts.; 10-in., 75 cts.

Shears, Levin Pruning. The lightest and strongest pruner made. Simple in construction and very useful. Each, \$1.25.

Sphagnum Moss. For packing, growing Orchids, etc. Per barrel, \$1.50; per bushel, 75 cts.

Stakes, Garden. For house, greenhouse, conservatory and *light* garden work, where plants require support. Being painted green, they are exceedingly neat, rather ornamental than otherwise, and in use are not unpleasantly conspicuous.

Light Round Stakes.

Feet.	Doz.	Hund.	Feet.	Doz.	Hund.
1½	\$0.18	\$1.25	3½	\$0.54	\$3.75
2	.24	1.75	4	.60	4.50
2½	.36	2.25	5	.72	5.50
3	.48	3.00			

Stakes, Square. Unpainted, made of hard wood and neatly finished.

27 inches long,	\$0.25 per 100	\$2.00 per 1000
36 " "	.30 " 100	2.50 " 1000
48 " "	.45 " 100	3.75 " 1000

Square Stakes.

Feet.	Doz.	Hund.	Feet.	Doz.	Hund.
1½	\$0.18	\$1.00	4	\$0.60	\$4.00
2	.18	1.35	5	.72	5.00
2½	.24	1.75	6	1.00	6.50
3	.36	2.75	6	1.25	10.00
3½	.48	3.25			

(Ex. Heavy.)

Heavy Round Stakes.

3	.60	4.50	5	1.00	7.00
4	.75	6.00	6	1.25	10.00

Stakes, Cane. Used extensively by plant growers and greenhouse people for tying Roses, Pinks, and all plants where not too heavy a stake is required. They resemble the bamboo, and are very strong and durable, varying in length from 5 to 12 feet. \$1.50 per hundred; in bundles of 500 for \$5.00 per bundle.

HYACINTH GLASSES.

Hyacinths grown in glasses of water are charming ornaments for parlor windows, and the ease and success in flowering bulbs in this way add greatly to the popularity of not only Hyacinths, but Polyanthus Narcissus, Amaryllis Formosissima and other bulbs, which can be grown in the same manner. Can be used for cut-flower vases when desired.

Tall pattern,	each,	\$0.15	dozen,	\$1.50
Low " "	" "	.15	" "	1.50

THERMOMETERS.

(All Tested and Guaranteed.)

Self-Registering. Registers both heat and cold. You can tell how hot or cold it has been. It is easily reset by the aid of a horse-shoe magnet which accompanies it.

No. 1.	8-inch Boxwood scale,	\$2.25 each.
" 2.	8 " Porcelain "	3.00 "
" 3.	10 " Porcelain "	4.00 "

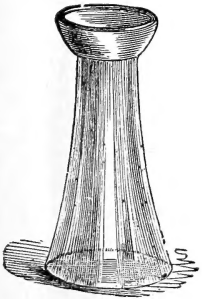
Plate Glass Window, with supporters for fastening outside. 9-in., \$1.50 each; 11-in., \$2.25 each.

Hot Bed and Mushroom Bed. Box wood, brass tipped, \$1.75 each.

H use. Various patterns with Porcelain scale, from 75 cts. to \$2.00 each.

Walnut Case. 8-in., 30 cts. each; 10-in. 40 cts. each.

Japanned Tin Case. Enamelled scale, 8-in., 15 cts. each.



POT GROWN STRAWBERRY PLANTS.

Ready for shipment about the middle of August.

THE HERSEY.

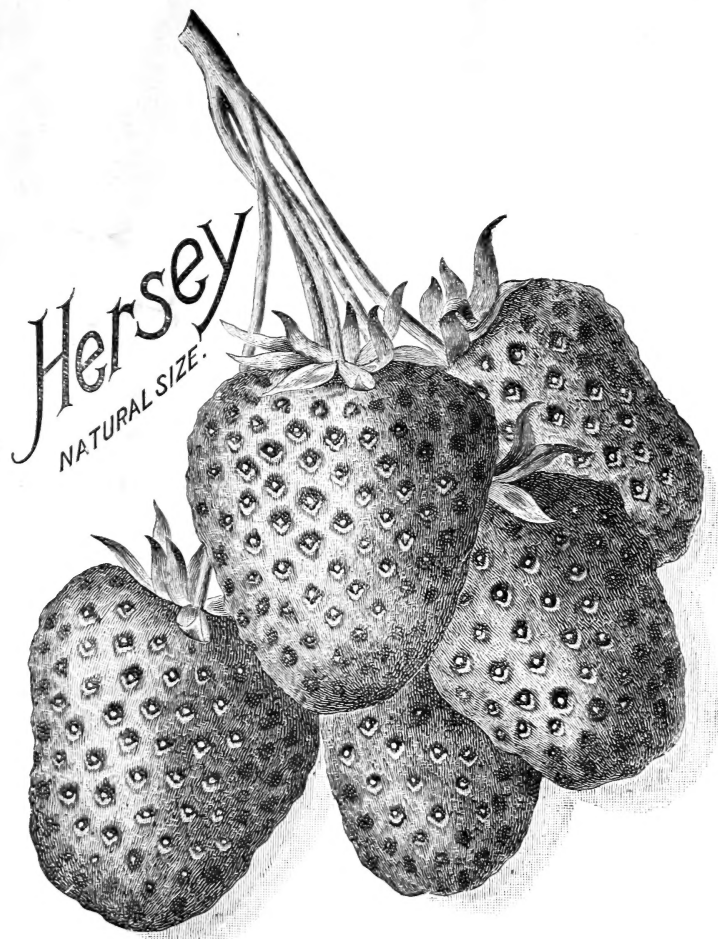
Latest 1st Prize Variety.

This berry possesses all the good qualities desired for home use and the market. Its flower is perfect. The fruit is of most excellent flavor, having the taste and the aroma of the best varieties of the wild strawberry. Its form is very attractive, and its color a rich dark red; very uniform in size and easy to hull. The vines are very strong and thrifty in appearance, also extremely hardy and very productive. Mr. Hersey says in the *Massachusetts Ploughman*, that "under ordinary culture, one thousand quarts of fruit have grown on a plot of land sixty feet square" (This being at the rate of over twelve thousand quarts per acre).

The Hon. Fearing Burr of Hingham, author of "Field and Farm Vegetables of America," writes as follows:

"I have made repeated examinations of the plantation of the Hersey Strawberry, as it appears on the grounds of Mr. Samuel Hersey, of Hingham, the fortunate originator.

The berry is large, of good form, finely colored. The plants have a healthy, stocky habit; and as for the yield—well, it is simply marvelous. By growers here, it is considered great; and if it should succeed nearly so well abroad under the soil and management of others as it does at home, it must stand a peer among its numerous competitors."



Recognizing the merits of this new strawberry, we have arranged for exclusive control of the sale of the plants. Per hund., \$2.50.

The Marshall. A most remarkable variety of recent introduction, receiving several first-class prizes at Massachusetts Horticultural Society. A chance seeding of wonderful growth and vigor—the plants standing from 18 to 22 inches high. Blossoms perfect; foliage sufficient to protect blossoms from frost. The berries are of very large size, and of a very dark, rich crimson color; of excellent flavor and fine grained, also a good keeper. It is exceedingly valuable for market, as well as for family purposes. \$2.50 per hund.

Belmont. One of the best berries grown, requiring good soil and plenty of manure; large, crimson, oblong and of excellent flavor. Medium to late, \$2.50 per hund.

Bubach. A pistilate variety of wonderful vigor, large, handsome fruit, bright crimson and enormously productive. Medium, \$2.50 per hund.

Leader. One of the earliest, productive, good size and a dark crimson color, \$2.50 per hund.

Michels. A good early variety, medium size and fine color, \$2.50 per hund.

Pot-grown roots of other leading sorts, \$2.50 per hund.

HARDY ORNAMENTAL AND FLOWERING SHRUBS.

This class of plants does more for our gardens and grounds, to make them look attractive and homelike, than all other classes combined. It gives us beautiful foliage of many kinds, flowers from April to November, and clothes the lawn with that abundance of branches and leafage which is so necessary to any feeling of seclusion or privacy in our home grounds.

Althea. (*Hibiscus Syriacus*.) A fine shrub, with single Hollyhock-like flowers. Red, Purple and White; 2 to 3 ft. Each, 35 cts.

Almond. Double, pink-flowering. May. Each 50 cts.

Andromeda Racemosa. With drooping racemes of Lily-of-the-Valley-like flowers. May. Each 50 cts.

Azalea Ghent. Hybrids of this well known class in many brilliant colors. June. Each, 75 cts., \$1.25, \$2.00.

Berberis Thunbergii. Leaves turning crimson in the fall; very distinct. Each, 50 cts.

Calycanthus Florida. (Spice Bush.) Flowers have a pineapple odor. June and July. Each, 50 cts.

Chionanthus Virginica. (White Fringe.) Delicate, fringe-like, snow-white flowers. 2 ft. Each, 35 cts., 8 ft., \$1.25.

Corchorus Japonica fl. pl. (*Kerria*.) Brilliant, double, orange-yellow flowers, very freely produced. June and July. Each, 25 cts.

Ceanothus Americanus. Dense clusters of white, fragrant flowers. Each, 35 cts.

Cornus Florida. (Large-flowered Dogwood.) Pinkish-white. 3 to 4 ft. Each, 50 cts.

Crataegus Hawthorn, Paul's Scarlet. Best double scarlet thorn. 6 ft. Each, \$1.50.

— **Double White.** 6 ft. Each, \$1.50.

Cydonia Japonica. (Japan Quince.) Brilliant crimson. May. Each, 25 and 50 cts.

Cytisus Laburnum. (Golden Chain.) Long clusters of golden-yellow blossoms; size and shape of Sweet Peas. Each, 50 cts. and \$1.00.

Desmodium Penduliflorum. (Sweet Pea Shrub.) Producing in the most luxuriant profusion, beautiful red and violet, pea-shaped flowers. September to frost. Each, 25 cts.

Exochorda Grandiflora. A large shrub, with foliage almost as rich as that of the Laurel, and with the most beautiful white blossoms possible to imagine. May. Each, 25 and 50 cts.

Forsythia Suspensa. (Drooping Golden Bell.) Beautiful drooping habit, with numerous bright-yellow flowers. May. Each, 35 cts.

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Lonicera Tartarica. (Bush Honeysuckle.) Delicate sweet-scented pink flowers. May. Each, 35 cts.

Magnolia. In great variety. Each, \$1.50 to \$5.00.

Mountain Laurel. (*Kalmia Latifolia*.) Well-known beautiful shrub. Each, 50 cts.

Privet, Golden Leaf. Rich Glossy, Golden-yellow foliage. Each, 50 cts.

— **California.** Glossy, green foliage. 1 to 3 ft. Each, 15 cts; per hundred, \$10.00.

Rhododendrons, Hardest Hybrids. We have many of the finest sorts of this most beautiful flower. 18 to 24 inches, full of bloom buds. Each, \$1.50.

Spiraea, Thunbergii. Abundance of white flowers in May. A most charming and graceful shrub. Each, 25 and 50 cts.

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Syringa, Sweet-Scented. (*Philadelphus Coronaria*.) Pure white, very fragrant flowers in June. Each, 35 cts.

Sweet Pepper Bush. (*Clethra Alnifolia*.) Spikes of fragrant, white flowers, freely produced nearly all summer. 2 ft. Each, 25 cts.

Viburnum Opulus. (Snowball.) Well known shrub. Each, 50 cts.

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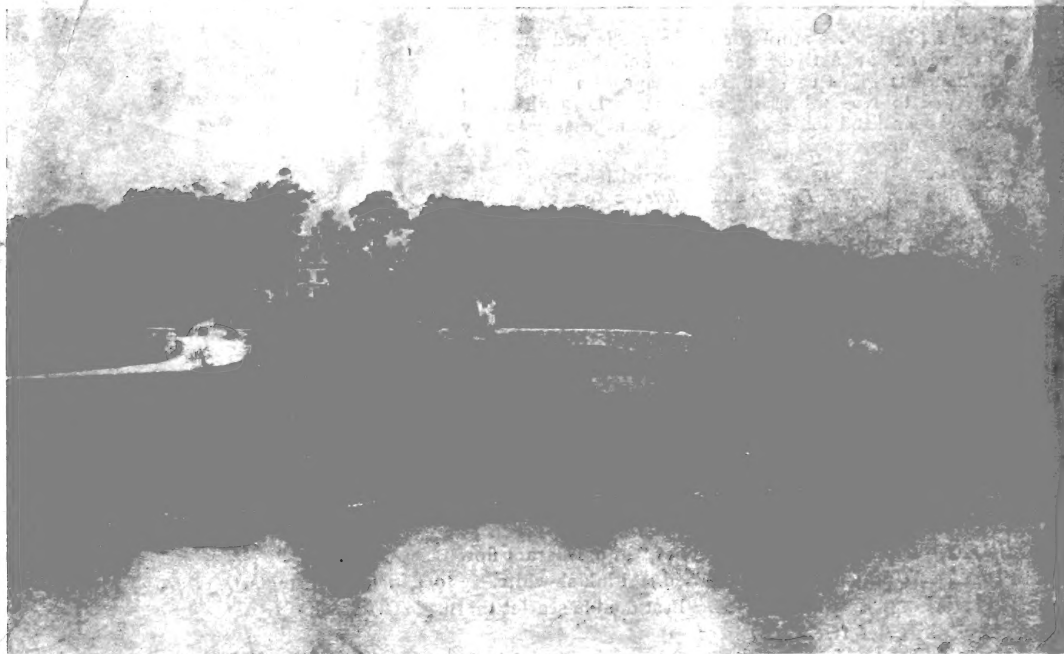
Weigelia Rosea. Fine rose-colored flowers. Each, 25 and 50 cts.

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Rhododendron.

June and July.



FRANKLIN PARK LAWN SEED.

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Superior Mixture for Lawns, Tennis Courts, Croquet Grounds, etc.

The mixture of grass seeds we sell under this name is made from the identical formula used by the Park Commissioners of the City of Boston in their work of laying out the beautiful lawns and terraces which add such a charm to our new parks. All the grass seed thus far used on these parks has been supplied by us, which fact should be a strong guarantee of quality. No inferior grade of seed would stand the critical examinations and tests of the Park officials.

The Franklin Park Mixture gives a fine, smooth, velvet sward within a very few weeks after sowing. It is composed of clean seed of the finest and most desirable permanent grasses known, and it contains no chaff nor foul seeds. Weight per bushel about 32 pounds.

The very large demand for this lawn seed has necessitated our having the name "Franklin Park" registered as a trade mark, in order to protect ourselves from imitators, other parties offering an inferior mixture of grass seed under this name.

September and October are most favorable months for sowing.

We put this seed up in packages — all of which bear our name — containing quantities as follows:—

64 lbs., sufficient for one acre	Price, \$16.00	16 lbs., sufficient for one-quarter acre,	Price, \$4.00
32 " " " one-half acre	" 8.00	Price per pound,	" .30

FINEST ENGLISH MIXTURE.

This mixture, made from our own formula, we have sold for many years, and it has given very general satisfaction. Weight per bushel, 16 lbs. Per $\frac{1}{2}$ lb., (1 qt.) 20 cts.; per lb., (2 qts.) 35 cts.; per bushel (16 lbs.) \$4.00.

Add eight cents per pound to these prices if wanted by mail.

